

Amendments to the Claims:

This listing of claims will replace all prior versions, and listings, of claims in the application:

Listing of Claims

Claim 1 (Currently Amended): ~~Process A~~ process for non-coherent reception of a signal with spectrum spreading and DP (Differential Phase)-MOK (M-Ary Orthogonal Keying) mixed modulation ~~with combination of over~~ multiple paths, characterized in that it ~~said process comprising~~ comprises the following operations:

A) processing the signal is ~~processed~~ in several M channels in parallel; in each channel, the signal is filtered by a filter adapted to a pseudo-random sequence specific to the channel; ~~the energy of the filtered signal is measured; this said energy is weighted by a~~ ^{of the filtered signal} weighting factor; ~~the a~~ ^{channel} channel containing ~~the a~~ a weighted signal with ~~the a~~ the highest power is determined; ~~the a~~ ^{channel} number of ~~this the highest power~~ the highest power channel is decoded to reproduce ~~the first~~ information symbols (mMOK);

B) selecting the filtered signal with the highest energy power ~~is selected~~, a differential phase demodulation is made of ~~this said selected filtered~~ signal which produces to produce multiple correlation peaks corresponding to multiple paths; ~~the energy of these the multiple~~ ^{of the multiple correlation peaks} correlation peaks is calculated; ~~this said energy is weighted by the said weighting factor to~~ provide weighted energy; this said weighted energy is decoded to restore the second information symbols (mDP); ~~and~~

C) determining an ^{multiple} the average of the correlation peaks ~~is taken over~~ a determined duration corresponding to several information symbols, ~~this said average forming the said~~ weighting factor acting on the energy of the filtered signal in each channel and on the energy of the correlation peaks.

Claim 2 (Currently Amended): ~~Non-coherent~~ A non-coherent receiver for a signal
(Differential phase)
with spectrum spreading and DP-MOK ~~mixed modulation to make use of this process~~
(M-Ary Orthogonal Keying)
~~according to claim 1, characterized in that it comprises~~ comprising:

A) several M channels in parallel, each channel comprising a filter (201, ..., 20M)
adapted to a pseudo-random sequence specific to the channel; a circuit (211, ..., 21M) for
measuring the energy of the filtered signal; a circuit (221, ..., 22M) for weighting ^{the} ~~this~~ energy ^{of the filtered signal}
by a weighting factor; means (230) ~~of for~~ for determining the channel that contains ^a ~~the~~ weighted
signal with the highest energy; a MOK decoder (250) ^{for a channel} ~~receiving the number of this channel,~~ ^{the determined}
and ~~in response~~ restoring the first information symbols (mMOK);

B) means (240) ~~of for~~ for selecting the filtered signal with the highest energy; a
differential phase demodulator (260) which produces multiple correlation peaks
corresponding to multiple paths; a circuit (130) for weighting the energy of ^{multiple} ~~the~~ correlation
peaks by the said weighting factor; a PSK decoder (270) restoring the second information
symbols (mDP); and

C) means (265) ~~of for~~ for calculating the average energy of ^{multiple} ~~the~~ correlation peaks over
[[a]] ~~the~~ determined duration corresponding to several information symbols, ^{the} ~~this~~ average ^{energy}
forming the said weighting factor, the output of ~~these~~ the means for calculating the average
energy means (265) being connected to ~~the~~ weighting circuits (231, ..., 22M) of the various M
channels and the circuit (130) for weighting ^{multiple} ~~the~~ energy of the correlation peaks.